

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS - Banking Services

Notice is hereby given that EMPOWERMENT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL 240 Ege Avenue Jersey City, New Jersey 07304, is seeking written proposals for the following, per specifications:

RFP 2026-01 dated July 2025. PROPOSAL FOR BANKING SERVICES.

Proposals are provided at no cost and may be obtained by written request:

(Via mail)

Menachem Bazian, MPA, CPA (NY), CITP, CEFM
School Business Administrator/Board Secretary
Empowerment Academy Charter School
240 Ege Avenue
Passaic, NJ 07055

(Via Email)

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The services to be provided are regarded as professional services, and selection will be based on the point system. As such, not only price, but the professional ability, size of the organization, proximity to Empowerment Academy Charter School and other similar factors may be utilized in awarding the contract involved herein. Banks submitting proposals must be participating in the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act (GUDPA) and must provide proof of same with their proposal. This proposal is being solicited through a Fair and Open Process in accordance with the N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4 et seq. The last day for questions regarding these services will be Monday, July 28, 2025 at 10:30 a.m. All questions and requests for clarification are to be submitted in writing only and addressed to the School Business Administrator. All responses from Empowerment Academy shall be in the form of a written addendum to the bid documents, plans or specifications which shall be advertised on website

<https://www.eacsnj.org/district/rfp.cfm>. Telephone inquiries will not be responded to. The bid opening will be held at 10:30 a.m. (prevailing time) on Wednesday, August 6, 2025 at which time they will be opened and publicly read. LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

PHOTOCOPIES OR FACSIMILIES OF THE BID DOCUMENTS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IN LIEU OF THE ORIGINALS. All documents must be completed as required and vendor must submit their bid no later than the due date and time outlined in the bid documents. A hard copy of each bid must also be mailed (One Original and Three Copies) on original forms made available, in a sealed envelope no later than the due date and time outlined in the bid documents. 1) addressed and mailed to Menachem Bazian, MPA, CPA (NY), CITP, CEFM, School Business Administrator/Board Secretary as noted below 2) bearing the name and address of the bidder on the outside 3) clearly marked "BID" or "PROPOSAL" with the name of the item(s) being bid EMPOWERMENT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL 240 Ege Avenue Jersey City, NJ 07304, ATT: School Business Administrator